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12 IN RE TFT-LCD (FLAT PANEL)
13 ANTITRUST LITIGATION

STIPULATED NOTICE
OF RELATED CASE IN A
CRIMINAL ACTION

Case No. M 07-1827 SI

16 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Case No. CR-08-0804 SI

17 v.

18 CHUNGWA PICTURE TUBES, LTD.,

19 Defendant.

21 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Case No. CR-08-0803 SI

22 v.

23 LG DISPLAY CO. LTD. and
24 LG DISPLAY AMERICA, INC.,

25 Defendants.

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NOTICE OF RELATED CASE - PAGE 1
Case No. CR-10-0335 JSW

1 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

2 v.

3 SHARP CORP.,

4 Defendant.

Case No. CR-08-0802 SI

5 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

6 v.

7 HITACHI DISPLAYS LTD.,

8 Defendant.

Case No. CR-09-0247 SI

9 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

10 v.

11 EPSON IMAGING DEVICES CORPORATION,

12 Defendant.

Case No. CR-09-0854 SI

13 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

14 v.

15 CHI MEI OPTOELECTRONICS
16 CORPORATION,

17 Defendant.

Case No. CR-09-1166 SI

18 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

19 v.

20 CHU-HSIANG "JAMES" YANG,

21 Defendant.

Case No. CR-10-0335 JSW

22 Under Crim. L. R. 8-1, the United States and Defendant Chu-Hsiang "James" Yang
23 file this Stipulated Notice of Related Case in a Criminal Action for this criminal case, United
24 States v. Chu-Hsiang "James" Yang, to the previously filed criminal cases related to Judge
25 Susan Illston, United States v. Sharp Corp., CR 08-0802 SI, United States v. LG Display Co.
26 Ltd. and LG Display America Inc., CR 08-0803 SI, United States v. Chunghwa Picture Tubes
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28 NOTICE OF RELATED CASE - PAGE 2
Case No. CR-10-0335 JSW

1 Ltd., CR 08-0804 SI, United States v. Hitachi Displays Ltd., 09-0247 SI, United States v.
2 Epson Imaging Devices Corporation, CR 09-0854 SI, United States v. Chi Mei
3 Optoelectronics Corporation, CR-09-1166 SI, and to the previously filed civil case assigned
4 to Judge Illston, In re TFT-LCD (Flat Panel) Antitrust Litigation, M 07-1827 SI. These civil
5 and criminal antitrust cases concern one or more of the same defendants and allege similar
6 events and occurrences. Accordingly, the United States and Defendant Chu-Hsiang "James"
7 Yang jointly request relating this case to Judge Illston.

8 On November 12, 2008, the United States filed three separate Informations in United
9 States v. Sharp Corp., CR 08-0802 SI, United States v. LG Display Co. Ltd. and LG Display
10 America Inc., CR 08-0803 SI, and United States v. Chunghwa Picture Tubes Ltd., CR 08-
11 0804 SI, charging the three corporate defendants with participating in conspiracies to fix the
12 prices of TFT-LCD in violation of Section 1 of the Sherman Act (15 U.S.C. § 1). The United
13 States and the three defendants filed stipulated notices of related cases on November 14,
14 2008, requesting that the cases be related to the pending civil class action before Judge
15 Illston, In re TFT-LCD (Flat Panel) Antitrust Litigation, M 07-1827 SI. The three cases were
16 related to Judge Illston on November 20, 2008. Subsequently, the United States filed
17 Informations against Hitachi Corporation, Epson Imaging Devices Corporation, Chi Mei
18 Optoelectronics Corporation and several individuals and also filed stipulated notices of
19 related cases requesting that these cases be related to Judge Illston. These cases were then
20 related to Judge Illston.

21 The Information against Defendant Chu-Hsiang "James" Yang charges that he
22 participated in a TFT-LCD price-fixing conspiracy related to certain TFT-LCD products.
23 There are common events and occurrences alleged in this case and the numerous predecessor
24 cases before Judge Illston. Specifically, Defendant Chu-Hsiang "James" Yang has agreed to
25 plead guilty to conspiring to fix prices of certain TFT-LCD sold in the United States and
26 elsewhere from April 1, 2004 to December 1, 2006. Chunghwa Pictures Tubes Ltd., LG
27 Display Co. Ltd., LG Display America, Inc., and Chi Mei Optoelectronics Corporation also
28 pled guilty to charges that they were involved in a conspiracy to fix the prices of TFT-LCD

1 sold worldwide during the same period.

2 Accordingly, the assignment of United States v. Chu-Hsiang "James" Yang to Judge
3 Illston will likely conserve judicial resources and promote an efficient determination of the
4 action.

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